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3/31/03**REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 3713**PATENT

(NC 27311 US)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Zilliacus et al.	Examiner:	HOTALING, J.
Serial No.:	09/350,315	Group Art Unit:	3713
Filed:	July 9, 1999	Docket:	NOKV.005PA
Title:	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PLAYING GAMES BETWEEN THE CLIENTS OF ENTITIES AT DIFFERENT LOCATIONS		

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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated October 22, 2002, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows. A Petition to Extend the period for responding to the Office Action by 1 month, from January 22, 2002 to February 22, 2002 is submitted herewith.

Claims 1 and 3-46 are pending in the application. Claims 1, 15, 28, and 42 have been amended. Reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims is respectfully requested.

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